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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of soldiers prosecuted/court marshalled/summery tried under the Army Act 1950 from 2000 to 2003; and

(b) the number of them were convicted and sentenced to undergo imprisonment?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE)

(a) & (b): The number of courts martial held during the years 2000 to 2003 was 4225. The number of soldiers prosecuted and convicted therein were 3966, out of which 2203 soldiers were sentenced to undergo imprisonment.